RESOLUTION NO. 9495-R18

A RESOLUTION IN OPPOSITION TO DIMINUTION OR ELIMINATION OF FEDERAL NUTRITION PROGRAMS

WHEREAS, the percentage of children under the age of six who live in poverty in the United States has increased to over one in five currently; and

WHEREAS, children who live in poverty suffer from problems of poor health care and poor nutrition and are often dependent upon volunteer agencies and public programs for adequate health care and nutrition; and

WHEREAS, federal nutrition programs are a major contributor to adequate health and nutrition of children who live in poverty; and

WHEREAS, children who have poor health and nutrition cannot learn properly in school; and

WHEREAS, current efforts in Congress are a major threat to child nutrition programs in the nation.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Urbana City Council that the Urbana City Council go on record in opposition to the diminution or elimination of federal nutrition programs for children in poverty and call upon our representatives in Congress to oppose all threats to child nutrition programs.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Urbana City Council call upon the employee organizations in the City of Urbana, and other interested individuals, organizations and public bodies to join in this opposition to threats to child nutrition programs and to likewise call upon their elected representatives to resist efforts to diminish or eliminate federal child nutrition programs.

PASSED by the Urbana City Council this 6th day of March, 1995.
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APPROVED by the Mayor this 15 th day of March, 1995.
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